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Youthful Elopers.

Bessle Chaffee, not quite 16, eloped Tuesday from her home in Springville, a village about twelve miles from Buffalo, N. Y, with Charley Blowell, 18 years of age. They had been sweethearts, an attachment having been formed while they were attend-ing the ecademy. Miss Chaffee is a daughter of Carl Chaffee and a niece of the Hon. Burt Chaffee. About a year ago the father learned of his daughter's infatuation for the young man, and he sent her to a Rochettar convent. Two months ago she left the convent and went home. After this the pair met secretely and the subsequent elepement was planned. On Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Chaffee attended a concert. Miss Chaffee remained at home under the plea of being sick, but in fact to carry out well-laid

plans.

ctowell had told a pitiable tale of a father tyrannically in opposition to the youthful levers, and enlisted the sympathy of a farmer named Bob Woodward, living six mileoast of the village. While the father and mother were at the theatre the girl nacked a trunk with her belongings, and Woodward carried it that night to York-thire. The next morning Miss Chaffee turied cetensibly for school, but instead she and Slowell were taken in a hay rack, bidden under a bundle of hay, to Yorkshire, where they took a train for Franklinville. A telegram was sent to the family which informed them of the pair's fight and intenformed them of the pair's fight and lotentions. The angry father and uncle employ-The search so far has been fruitlese, Mr. Chaffee says he will prosecute Stawell for adduct on as the girl is not yet 16 years

Young Slowell comes of a respected and weathy family. At his home to Spring-ville he is known at the dude." When he eloped with the girl he had only \$11, the proceeds of a pawned watch. Miss Chaffee s rosy-cheeked, vivacious, and pretty.

GIANT PICKETT NELSON'S BIG COFFIN .-The remains of the colored glant, Pickett Nelson, were sent from the residence 1110 Warren street, where he died, to E sex county, Va., yesterday on the steamer Richmond, of the Weems line. Hundreds of persons visited the house where the giant died during the day and looked at the dead man. Her-cules Ross, the undertaker, arrived during the afternoon with the offlin, which measured 8 feet 3 inches long, and 20 inches deep and 28 inches wide. The offlin had 8 etrong handles. The plate was engraved as follows: "Picket Nelson, died January 19, 1892, aged 31 years." The remains had to be taken from the house through a window T. I. Hurd manager of the show window. T. J. Hurd, manager of the she to which the giant belonged, was at the house during the day, and a large wreath of flowers near the coffin was a present from him. The mother and sister of the dead giant were expected on the steamer Richmond, but did not come. The body will be accompanied to Virginia by D Richardson and T. J. Hurd. The decessed wes a member of the Bap'ist church in King and Queen county, Va., of which Rev. D. Brodus is pastor, and he will be buried in the cemetry attached to the church. home was in Essex county, near the border of King and Queen county, on the Rappshannock .- Balt. Sun.

A REMARKABLE STORY.—James White, a slowaway from Honolulu, who has arrived at street of fifty feet nine inches, and has a double street of fifty feet nine inch San Francisco, tells a remarkable at vry of his adventures in the south seas. Last May he deserted from an American ship in Sydney

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May He SMITH. City Sergt. and shipped on a schooner for a trading voyage among the islands of the Pacific. Soon after leaving the Australian coast gune were brought up from the hold and White was told they were to be sold to the islanders. The vessel carried a crew of 15 men commanded by Capt. Colton, a scut serner. At the first place the vessel touched five young girls were forcibly abducted; the natives pursued in a cance, but were fired upon, six or eight being killed; the cance was overturned and the rest were devoured by sharks. Two weeks later the touched at another island and in a fight with natives one of the crew was killed and the mate's arm broken. At anct ier island a lot of sandal wood was stolen and the schooner was chased by a French gunbost, but got away. At the Guano Islands White deserted and made his way to Honolulu.

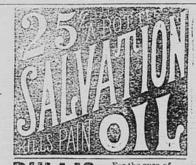
LEFT HEADLESS WHERE HE SAT .- Monday morning, soon after operations had begun for the day in the D. S. Morgan Reaper Works at Brockport, N. Y., a loud explosion was heard in the grinding shop. A rush was made for that part of the works. Herbert Weed, who ran an emery wheel, was fund sitting in his usual piece at the wheel, headless. The wheel was missing. It had burst while running at high speed and one of the flying pieces had torn Weed's head from his body. Weed was 35 years old and leaves a wife.

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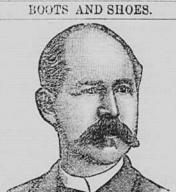
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